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Title: LABEL ASSEMBLY AND APPARATUS

AND METHOD FOR TRANSFERRING A LABEL PORTION FROM THE LABEL

ASSEMBLY ONTO AN OBJECT

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